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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor Application of )  
Zhang, Ji-Guang )  
Serial No.: 10/047,407 ) Group Art: 1745  
Filed: January 10, 2002 ) Examiner: Alejandro, Raymond  
For: PACKAGED THIN FILM )  
BATTERIES AND METHOD OF )  
PACKAGING THIN FILM )  
BATTERIES )

REQUEST TO CHANGE INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 CFR §1.48

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
POB 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.48, Applicants Ji-Guang Zhang and Eleston Maxie, Jr., respectfully petitions to correct the inventorship in the above referenced patent application. The petition sets forth the requirements for requesting a correction of inventorship.

The patent application was filed under the name of Ji-Guang Zhang as the sole inventor. Applicant hereby requests that the inventorship be amended to include both Ji-Guang Zhang and Eleston Maxie, Jr. as joint inventors.

The error in the inventorship occurred without deceptive invention on the behalf of the inventors, see declarations attached as Exhibits A and B.

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The assignee of the patent application, Excellatron Solid State, LLC., consents to the correction of inventorship, see Exhibit C.

The inventors has executed a new Declaration and Power of Attorney attached hereto as Exhibit D.

The required processing fee under Section 1.17(I).

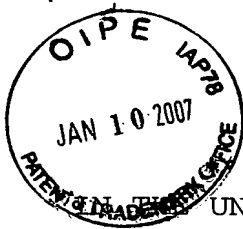
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DECLARATION OF JI-GUANG ZHANG

I, Ji-Guang Zhang, hereby make the following declaration.

(1) I am a joint inventor of the above referenced patent application entitled PACKAGED THIN FILM BATTERIES AND METHOD OF PACKAGING THIN FILM BATTERIES.

(2) Mr. Eleston Maxie, Jr. should have also been named as a joint inventor of the above referenced patent application.

(3) Mr. Maxie's name was mistakenly omitted.

(4) The omission of Mr. Maxie's name was an error in inventorship which occurred without deceptive intention on my part or on his part.

I declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or

imprisonment, or both, under Section 1 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent therefrom.

Nov. 20, 2006

Date

  
Ji Guang Zhang

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DECLARATION OF ELESTON MAXIE, JR.

I, Eleston Maxie, Jr., hereby make the following declaration.

(1) I am a joint inventor of the above referenced patent application entitled PACKAGED THIN FILM BATTERIES AND METHOD OF PACKAGING THIN FILM BATTERIES.

(2) I should have also been named as a joint inventor of the above referenced patent application.

(3) My name was mistakenly omitted.

(4) The omission of my name was an error in inventorship which occurred without deceptive intention on my part or on Mr. Ji-Guang Zhang's part.

I declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these

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CONSENT OF EXCELLATRON SOLID STATE, LLC.

The assignee of record Excellatron Solide State, LLC for the above referenced patent application (assignment recorded reel 012509 and frame 0839) hereby consents to the correction of inventorship from Ji-Guang Zhang to both Ji-Guang Zhang and Eleston Maxie, Jr.

Nov 22, 2006  
Date

By:   
Lonnie G. Johnson,  
President  
Excellatron Solid State, LLC

## **DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY**

As a below named inventors,

Ji-Guang Zhang  
Eleston Maxie Jr.

I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name, I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

### **PACKAGED THIN FILM BATTERIES AND METHODS OF PACKAGING THIN FILM BATTERIES**

the specification of which was filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on January 10, 2002 and assigned Application No. 10/047,407.

I do not know and do not believe that the invention was ever known or ever used in the United States before my invention thereof, or patented or described in any printed publication in any country before my invention thereof or more than one year prior to the date of this application, or in public use or on sale in the United States more than one year prior to the date of this application.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations Section 1.56(a), including that which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations Section 1.63.

As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following attorney to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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Full name of sole or first inventor:

**Ji-Guang Zhang**

Inventor's Signature



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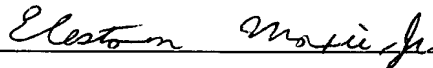
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**Eleston Maxie Jr.**

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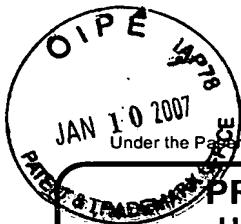


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Enclosed is a paper filed under 37 CFR 1.48 that requires a processing fee (37 CFR 1.17(i)).  
Payment of \$ 130.00 is enclosed.

This form should be included with the above-mentioned paper and faxed or mailed to the Office using the appropriate Mail Stop, if applicable. For transmittal of petition fees under 37 CFR 1.17(f), (g) or (h), see form PTO/SB/17p.

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Dorian B. Kennedy  
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January 8, 2007

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This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.17. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 5 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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